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Claims

1. A packaged tablet, which tablet has a matrix consisting of at least 55% of a cellulose ether, characterised in that the tablet is maintained to have a water activity of at most 0.6 by having been packaged such as to delay moisture uptake by the tablet.
2. The packaged tablet according to claim 1, characterised in that the tablet is maintained to have a water activity of less than 0.55.
3. A packaged tablet, which tablet has a matrix consisting of at least 55% of a cellulose ether, characterised in that the tablet is maintained to have a water content of less than 9 % w/w by having been packaged such as to delay moisture uptake by the tablet.
4. The packaged tablet according to any one of claim 1-3, characterised in that the matrix consists of more than 65% of a cellulose ether.
5. The packaged tablet according to claim 4. characterised in that the cellulose ether is hydroxypropyl methylcellulose.
6. The packaged tablet according to any one of claims 1-5, characterised in that the tablet comprises gepirone HCl in an amount in the range of from 20 - 85 mg.